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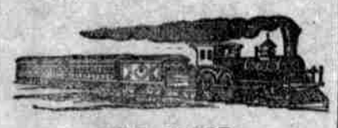

TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and GERONIMO.

Taking effect Monday, Sept 28th at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.				No. 2
2 00 p.m	Lv	Geronimo ‡	Ar	12 50 p.m
2 21 p.m	Ar	Fort Thomas §	Lv	12 01p.m
p.m	Lv		Ar	
2 00 p.m	Lv	Mathewsville ‡	Lv	11 23.am
p.m	Ar	Pima ‡	Lv	11 04.am
3 13 p.m	Lv		Ar	
3 27 p m	Lv	Central ‡	Lv	10 56.am
3 37 p.m	Lv	Thatcher ‡	Lv	10 44.am
p.m	Ar	Safford ‡	Lv	10 09.am
3 50 p.m	Lv		Ar	
p.m	Ar	Solomon ‡	Lv	9 42 am
4 11 p.m	Lv		Ar	
4 41 p.m	Lv	Rail N Ranch ‡	Lv	9 14am
4 52 p.m	Lv	Big Wind Mill ‡	Lv	9 01.am
5 02 p.m	Lv	20 Mile Tank ‡	Lv	8 58.a.m
5 10 p.m	Lv	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv	8 52.am
5 35 p.m	Lv	Summit Spur ‡	Lv	8 30.a.m
6 05 p m	Ar	Bowie ‡	Lv	8 00.am

Mountain Time

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R. at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tonto Basin

‡ Stations have no agents.

§ Telegraph Stations.

The Company reserves the right to vary this chedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg‡		10 20a m
1 00 p m	29	2	†Summit †	29	9 20a m
2 00 p m	49	3	Ar Duncan†	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m			Lv Duncan‡		8 10a m
2 35 p m	47	4	*†Sheld'n†	7	7 45a m
2 48 p m	50	5	*† Yorks †	3	7 38a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Coronado †	5	7 25a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10a m
3 55 p m	64	8	*†‡Siding †	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding †	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton †	5	6 15a m

rains run daily except Sunday
* Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

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LODGES.

Woodman of the World.
Meets bi-monthly.
F. W. DOWNS, Consul Commander
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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

On account of an extra amount of work it will be impossible for me to leave Safford in June, therefore I will remain until after the 4th, of July. All persons requiring dental work, are invited to call before that date.

M. E. BRENNER,
Dentist.

E. L. Shaw, the popular salesman for Solomon & Wickersham was in town yesterday.

Hats, all kinds and prices, at John Blake & Co's.

Five car loads of cattle were shipped from Safford to El Paso last Wednesday.

Dry goods, dress goods, and notions at John Blake & Cos.
9-11-tf

W. D. Jefferson left for Texas last Wednesday, to be absent about a week.

Ijams & Patterson have received their mowers, rakes, binders, etc., call and see them.

A big celebration is being planned in Wilcox, for the 4th says the Range *News*.

Jas. R. Lassator wishes to announce that he has a number of high grade milk cows for sale. tf.

Mr. Curtis for whom Dr. Lindley removed all of the right ingunal glands is now around well and strong.

Rev. F. W. Downs will preach Sunday evening on "What it is to be a Methodist." All are invited to attend.

Ice cream at Mrs. Zufelt's every Sunday and Sunday evenings.
5-14 tf.

Mrs. Alfonsa Ruiz who is being treated by Dr. Lindley for an abscess of the shoulder joint is rapidly improving.

Children's Day exercises at the M. E. Church last Sunday night drew a large and appreciative audience.

The board of equalization of Pima county will meet on the 1st of next month to adjust the tax rate.

A. M. Montierth, on Wednesday last, presented us with a lot of nice ripe apples, the first of the season.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, office at residence Safford, Arizona.
2 26-tf

A wedding will take place about the last of this month among Geronimo's four hundred. The railroad boys are already engaged in gathering up tin cans.

The largest and most select line of clothing at John Blake & Co's. at prices very low. 3-27-tf.

The *Prospector* says that nothing has yet been heard of Wm. Evans, who escaped from the car window on the 4th. His whereabouts is yet a mystery.

Hats, clothing and furnishing goods cheap at John Blake & Cos.
9-11-tf

Dr. W. E. Lindley assisted by Dr. Lacy of Solomonville perfromed the operation for the radical cure of Umbilical Hernia on Tuesday morning last upon the four year old child of Wm. Kirtland, Dr. Lindley reports the child doing well.

An elegant line of ladies and and gentlemen's straw hats below cost at John Blake & Co's. 6-18.

Mr. and Mrs. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson and Dr. Register left for Camp Columbine this week. Mrs. McMullen and Mrs. Clarkson have both been in poor health for some time and have gone to the mountains in order to get the invigorating breezes and pure mountain water.

The small water-jacket smelter being erected by Mr. Backstein, Safford, is naering completion, and will soon be started up on ore from the mine of the Lone Star district. It is a very neat little lot of machinery, with a capacity of ten tons per day, and situated as it is in that promising district, will undoubtedly prove a paying investment for its enterprising owner.—Jerome *Reporter*.

According to the newspapers, an Ohio husband became the happy father of seven children not long ago. Of the seven all lived but one. It is to be hoped he laid in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, the only sure cure for croup, whooping-cough, colds and coughs, and so insured his children against these diseases. For sale by all dealers in medicine. *

LIST OF CASUALTIES.

For the Week. Fires, Accidents and Murders.

Cutting Affray.

There has been a Mexican working with the section gang on the valley road who seems to have developed a wonderful liking for running away with other men's wives.

His last effort was attended with a bad ending. Last Sunday he went to Bowie and endeavored to entice another Mexican's wife to accompany him to the camp. Instead of doing this she informed her husband, who followed the would be wife stealer, with blood in his eye and a long knife underneath his shirt. When the husband overtook his man he jabbed him in the back with the knife. The other turned and struck the husband with a six shooter. Then commenced a desperate fight for the knife.

By this time the woman had arrived, and the engagement became general.

When the smoke of battle had cleared all three were upon the ground believed to be mortally wounded, and only one knife was employed, the gun remaining on the ground, idle.

No one attempted to interfer. The train crew of the G. V., G. & N. thought first they would go in a body and stop the fight but upon closer investigation concluded descrition to be the better part of valor and wisely remained at the station.

Morenci Destroyed by Fire.

Early Tuesday morning fire broke out in the business portion of Morenci and within an hour every building was consumed. The ruin extended from Abraham Diaz's place, at the bottom of the canyon to and including the new residence of A. D. Brewer, at the top of the canyon. Little or no insurance was on any of the buildings. The loss is difficult to estimate but it will reach a grert many thousand dollars.

The fire originated from the explosion of a gasoline stove.

Run Over by a Car.

We are informed that one evening early in the week a Mexican man and woman were under a car on the track at Clifton, when a car higher up the track was started in some way, running against and starting the one under which the man and woman were. The car passed over and cut off both the woman's feet, and one foot and one hand off the man.

Burned to the Ground.

Last Tuesday night the residence of E. W. Dye, of Thatcher, was completely destroyed by fire, together with all its contents.

The fire started in the ceiling and before it was discovered almost the whole interior was ablaze. It was not insured, but a subscription list was immediately started and quite a neat little sum raised.

Chinaman Shot.

The report reached here yesterday that on Monday or Tuesday a Chinaman had been shot and killed by some one unknown at a ranch near the Arizona and New Mexico line, east of Sheldon.

Barley Stack Burned.

Heber Layton had a nice barley stack which he was intending to thresh this week, but in some way it caught fire Wednesday morning and was all destroyed.

A Great Effort.

After what appears to be a terrible and prolonged effort some very funny individual at Pima wrote the following, and we give it just as he wrote it:

"Gardien Ofice
Saford Grahm
Co Ariz
Remedy for hair
Dressing.

discovered by a poplor young man of Pima.

This Young Man Says just be fore goin to a party Wash Yor hed clen, Then Take A Pan of Scimed Milk And dip Your hole hed in It, This is Shurly A good Remedy for he Says he lerned it by experince, he thoght it Would shurly be a benefit to others, for We all know When he goes to partes his hare all ways stays to it's place, He is Surly a nice looking Young man, aspecly When his Hare is well soaked in
Scined Milk, and comed Pompy Doar

Yours Truly
X Y

Pima Grahm Co
Ariz

Merchandise paid for Wheat at John Blake & Cos. tf

A BUDGET FROM THOMAS.

D. H. Ming's Store Destroyed—Thomas not Dead Yet.

On Wednesday night last about 9 o'clock the rapid firing of pistol shots announced the demise of one of the oldest and yet one of the best store buildings in the town of Thomas. About that hour the large, fine store building of D. H. Ming was discovered to be on fire at the north end and fierce flames were shooting sky-ward in great columns and in less than half an hour only the blackened and charred walls were left standing. The south end of the building was occupied by the Lynch brothers as a saloon, Barny Lynch being the only one around the premises at the time and he was preparing to go to bed when the fire was discoved. The part of the building where the fire is supposed to have originated was used by the Aravaipa Mail Rider as a sleeping room but the rider had left on his trip in the morning. All of his horse feed and his clothing was burned. There was not more than eight or ten men in the town at the time, but what few there were did good work in trying to save things from the fire. The Lynch brothers did not have a very large stock on hand and the most of their bar fixtures were saved. All the water that could be obtained was from a well on the premises but with this the boys fought the flames and stood the heat with the nerve of veteran firemen.

The bulding was formerly owned and built by Louis Voelckel, at an expense of $5,500. It is believed there is little insurance on it.

Leahy & Rosberryare bailing the first crop of alfalfa in the valley. Their barley crop is also in fine condition.

Louis Voelckel has taken advantage of the times and has added to his saloon trade a sort of Dutch lunch, consisting of Lumberger and Swiss cheese, Holland herring and other oderous things. Mr. Voelckel also has a large vegetable garden attached to his residence.

Those who believe Thomas is on its last legs are a little bit previous as both the Rose and Alexander stores are doing a nice little country business, while the Graham house, kept by Mrs. L. Rupkey, is most always filled with its usual quota of guests.

Chas. Alexander and Mr. H. Rupkey have arrived home from school and they, together with Burty Rupkey, have gone to the mountains for a few weeks.

L. R.

Thomas June 11th, 1897.

Teachers Employed.

The board of trustees of the Safford school district met last Monday night for the purpose of selecting teachers for the Safford public schools for the ensuing year. After careful consideration of eight or ten applications, the board employed R. S. Patterson as principal of the grammar school at a salary of $75 per month and Miss Mary Tuttle as teacher of the primary school at a salary of $60 per month.

The trustees believe in running good schools and know that if good salaries are not paid the teachers, that satisfactory results will not follow, hence the salaries above mentioned.

Board of Equalization.

Hon. Geo. W. Skinner returned from Phœnix last Tuesday, where he had been attending the meeting of the territorial board of equalization. The board raised the assessment of the S. P. $100 per mile; the Arizona and Southeastern $50 per mile; the M. & P. between $400 and $500 per mile, also raised the A. & N. M.

The assessment was levied per mile: S. P. $6,570; A. & S. E. $5,350.63; A. & N. M. $3,546.69; M & P. $4,900.

Justice Judia got mixed up with some Mexicans the other night in Solomonville, and was glad when he got out. Several of them were drunk and on the fight, and when Mr. Judia went to arrest one he started to run with the justice a close second. The race ended in a house, where Mr. Judia was about to arrest his man when about twenty Mexicans rushed in and gave him to understand that he had better get out, and as the justice thought so too, there was no argument. He returned later with Sheriff Birchfield, arrested the man and fined him $12.50 which was paid.

"It is the Best Remedy on Earth."

That is what Edwards & Parker, merchants of Plains, Ga., say of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, lame back, deep seated and muscular pains. Sold by all dealers in medicine. *

GOING DOWN.

After the Great Body of Copper Ore at the Mines Across the River.

The editor of the GUARDIAN, accompanied by Mrs. Birdno, visited Qualey Bros. camp in the Lone Star district this week.

Frank and Charles Qualey are both at the mines now, superintending the development work being done, and they expect another brother from the east in a few days.

The work being done is on a scientific plan, that will assure success when the great body of ore is encountered which they are now sinking for. In the San Juan mine the shaft goes down on a slight incline, the vein of ore which is being followed is large and rich enough to pay them well to work it, but they do not propose to put in expensive machinery until they strike the main deposit of ore, which they confidently expect to encounter within the next six weeks or two months, when the present shaft will be abondoned and merely used for an air passage, and a large shaft will be sunk higher up on the hill, where hoisting works will be erected, from which tunnels and cross-cuts will be made.

Work was stopped on the San Juan last week on account of water and the force of men put to work sinking on other claims, but a whim and two large hand drills will arrive this week when the force of men will be doubled and a day and night shift worked.

A small vein of ore was encountered in one of their mines, the San Pedro, at a dept of about 40 feet, last week, which runs more than $900 in copper and silver. If this vein widens as it goes deeper the San Pedro will prove to be a bonanza.

An office, sleeping house and a boarding house will be erected at the San Juan mine immediately.

Qualey Bros. have a bond on about 14 claims, located by Mrs. Holborne, all of which they will work through the main shaft on which the hoisting works will be erected.

New discoveries are constantly being made in the district and old claims worked, a quite a number of them being down from 50 to 100 feet and nearly all bearing good copper ore. Each groupe will receive our attention in detail.

The Extension.

Everything looks favorable at the present time for the extension of the G. V. G. & N. railroad to Globe at an early date.

Prest. Garland and Capt E. A. Cutter have been in conference with the Indians several days. A stated sum has been offered the Indians in their tribal relations, besides other remuneration, and it is believed the proposition made will be accepted, as it was found that a number of Indians who have opposed the building of the road, after a thorough explanation, were in favor of it.

The company has an agent, together with an interpretor visiting all the Indians not seen by the officers of the road, explaining the position of the company and the offer made, and it is believed the whole tribe will come to an agreement, and so that the right-of-way question will be settled within a few days, work on the extension will commence immediately.

Rate Via the Santa Fe.

We are authorized to publish the rate for trip to Salt Lake and return for the Pioneer celebration on July 24th at $42.30 from Deming and $43.05 from El Paso.

Mr. Copland also writes us that if a party of about 15 will go together a through car will be sent or a through tourist sleeper. If sleeper is sent they will want a guarantee that at least 15 berths will be used, which will be furnished at $3 each, through. If a party is made up an officer of the company will accompany the same train and see that the trip is made as comfortable and agreeable as possible. It would be well for those intending to go to get together and arrange for the trip. If those desiring a sleeper at the rate mentioned will communicate with this office, immediate arrangements will be made.

Tickets will be on sale July 16th, 17th, and 18th, good for 30 days.

The Rev. W. H. Weaver, pastor of the U. B. Church, Dillisbury, Pa., recognizes the value of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and does not hesitate to tell others about it. "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," he says, "and find it an excellent medicine for colds, coughs and hoarseness." So does everyone who gives it a trial. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

FOR SALE

A thorough bred, young Hotstien bull. For particulars inquire at this office. tf.

THE PROGRAM.

For the Fourth of July Celebration in Safford.

The whole details of the program for the celebration have not yet been completed but as far as they have, are as follows:

First in the morning, firing of a salute.

Grand parade. Each town in the county is invited to get up a float and join in this parade.

Following the parade come the literary exercises at the pavilion.

Just before noon an appropriate prize will be offered for the best developed male and also the best developed female child, the decision to be rendered by three judges. These judges have our sympathy.

In the afternoon a ball game will be played, providing a team can be brought into training here.

Then comes a free for all bicycle race, first prize $5, second prize $2.50, entrance fee $1.00.

Polo, 6 rings, 25 yards apart, most rings taken off in three tilts, on horse back, first prize $10, second prize $5, entrance fee $2.50. Any information desired concerning this contest will be furnished by Tump Freeman.

Potatoe race, first prize $2 second psize $1

Wheelbarrow race, first prize $2, second prize $1.

One hundred yard foot race, prize $5.

Free for all horse race, first prize $25, second prize $10, entrance fee $5.

Following these races, in the evening, will be the bicycle parade. This parade will be quite a novel feature of the celebration. Cyclists in every town are invited to join. Information as to costume, etc., will be furnished by Rev. F. W. Downs.

The celebration will close with a grand ball at the pavilion.

Believed they Saw Chacon.

Last Sunday evening while Dolph Wilson and John Stewart were riding in the river bottom north of Safford they saw a Mexican believed to be Chacon, the escaped murderer.

The man they saw was seated on the river bank preparing for a bath. They rode close up and spoke to him several times but he did not answer, when they rode on some distance and on account of his suspicious actions and white skin they believed it to be Chacon. They returned on foot and concealed themselves in the brush where they got a good look at him. He was armed, but they were not. They came to town and reported, when a number of armed men went in search of him, but did not find him. On Monday when a picture of the murderer was shown to the boys they said it was the picture of the man they saw.

No trace of the man they saw has since been discovered.

Killing at Carlisle.

On Monday two Mexicans were drinking together in a saloon at Carlisle. One of the men named Isidorio Ruiz, placed his arm around the neck of the other in a friendly manner, but a moment after pulled a revolver and fired two shots, with the muzzle of the weapon close against the breast of his companion, the bullet passed clear through the unfortunate victim. The wounded man clung to the bar, at which they were standing, for support, but the murderer beat him down with his pistol. Deputy-sheriff Muse was near by and arrested the murderer who was brought to the county jail Wednesday. The unfortunate victim made an ante-mortem statement that he could not assign any reason whatever for the assault. The murderer claims that he had no animosity toward his victim and that he cannot realize that he committed the deed.—Silver City *Enterprise*.

Another Escape.

Paul Loske, who has served two years and four months in our county jail, and who has during that time been sentenced to be hanged for being accessory to the murder of G. W. K. McNary, was yesterday discharged from custody, the case against him being dismissed under the provisions of the act passed by the last legislature. This act reduces murder charges previous to its passage to manslaughter, and as there is no accessory to manslaughter under the law, Loske an accessory before the fact, went free. This leaves Schultz, his partner in the crime of which he was convicted, to be tried for manslaughter.—*Courier*.

Examination for teachers certificates is being held today and Miss Ida Woods, of Bonita, Graham county, is an applicant before the board.—*Prospector*.

Cowboy saddles, bridles and spurs. Patronize Clarkson's home make, at John Blake & Co's.
3-27-tf

PROCLAMATION OF REWARD.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

To all to whom these presents shall come:

WHEREAS official information has been received by me from the District attorney of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, that Augustine Chacon, who was convicted of murder and sentenced to be executed at the May term of the District Court, 1896, at Solomonville in the County of Graham, the judgement of said court afterward being affirmed by the Supreme Court of the Territory, and the said Chacon being re-sentenced to be executed on the 18th day of June, 1897.

AND WHEREAS I am officially informed that said Augustine Chacon did, on the 9th day of June, 1897, escape from the jail at Solomonville in the said county of Graham.

NOW THEREFORE I, B. J. Franklin, Governor of the Territoy of Arizona, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, do hereby offer FIVE HUNDRED ($500) DOLLARS REWARD for the apprehension of said fugitive from justice and his detention in any jail in the United States.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have this twelfth day of June set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Phœnix, the Capitol, this tweifth day of June, A. D. 1897.

SEAL

By the Governor.
B. J. FRANKLIN.

CHAS. M BRUCE,
Secretary of the Territory.

The Westfield (Ind.) *News* prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the L., N. A. & C. Ry. here, says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy for ten years or longer—am never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.'" It is a specifice for all bowel disorders. For sale by all dealers in medicine. *

A Delicious Dish.

A delicious and noval dish may be made of the ordinary small white beans such as are used for the famous Boston dish. Soak a pint of beans in cold water over night. In the morning put them on the range in enough slightly salted water to cover them, and let them boil steadily until they are broken to pieces and not a whole bean remains. They may simmer all day without injury to them, care being taken to renew the water as fast as it boils away. One hour before the meal for which they are destined rub the beans through a colander; add to the pulp thus formed a white sauce. This is made by cooking together a tablespoonful of butter and one of flour, pouring a large cup of milk over thum, and stirring until thick and smooth. Mix the bean pulp thoroughly with this sauce, and last of all, add two well-beaten eggs, pepper and salt to taste. Beat all hard for a minute, turn into a buttered pudding dish, sprinkle fine bread crumbs over the top, and bake in a hot oven until lightly browned. Serve at once.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.*

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all dealers in medicine.*

A full line of bicycle supplies on hand at Ijams & Patterson's.
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FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897

PRESIDENT McKINLEY desires to do the square thing by the original McKinley men, but there are most too many for him.

A REWARD of $700 is being offered for the apprehension of Augustine Chacon, the Governor offering $500 and Sheriff Birchfield $200.

No bicycler can be made to believe the man who throws tacks in the road is giving them pointers how to keep their tires intact.

Gov. BUDD has granted Durrant a reprieve until July 9th, pending an appeal to the court of last resort.

ENGLAND is building eighty-nine war-ships, with other nations over there good seconds. When it comes to arbitration they are all in the same boat.

MR. HANNA's aversion to the appearance of rich men in that Ohio Senatorial race may eventually force him to borrow Mr. Quay's blouse and mix up with the bourgeoisie.

HANNA AND MCLEAN are stripping for the Senatorial fight in Ohio. It's believed the differences between Mark and John in this case won't stop at those reconcilable with gospel.

THE change of time on the railroad is a move in the interest of better railroad accommodations on our road. We get our mail from the east just as soon as before, and one day sooner from the west.

THE monthly statements issued by the Director of the Mint shows the coinage executed at the mints of the United States during 1897 to have been as follows: Gold, $4,489,950; silver, $1,600,000; minor coins $109,130; total, $6,199,080 Of this amount $1,400,000 was in silver dollars.

WE have heard considerable complaint lately about public money being kept in a bank, when the county treasury has been supplied with vaults which should be as secure as those in a bank. A great deal of dissatisfaction is expressed on account of the checks that are issued, it being almost impossible at times to cash them; in fact some have been returned to the treasurer, the person to whom money was due refusing to receive them.

THE Republican papers are now hedging on the prosperity proposition. At first a high tariff was all that was required to bring the much needed prosperity. But now they say the enactment of a tariff will not bring it, but that the currency system must be overhauled. This is exactly what the Democrats have always claimed. The currency system must be overhauled and more money issued. There are some Republicans who would make good Democrats if they only knew it.

INSIDE of a year Safford will be headquarters for one of the liveliest mining camps in the Territory. The development now going on in the Lone Star district assures this assertion. There will be one or more large smelters here, with a continual stream of high grade copper ore coming to them from the mines. There is a great body of ore located over there and in less than two months the predictions that heavy bodies of ore was deposited there, will have been demonstrated. This camp is located only about seven and a half miles from Safford, with a splendid road all the way.

WELLINGTON'S GREAT SPEECH.

Much comment has been made regarding the speech Senator Wellington made in the Senate against the Cuban resolution, and we have concluded to give a few extracts from it in order that the people may form a correct idea. He commenced by remarking that he craved the attention of the Senate for a few moments; he got it. He said

"We must not go out as a Bombastes Furioso among the nations of the earth; nor yet as Don Quixote seeking to attack windmills that are beyond our reach; nor yet like unto the inebriated Irishman at Donnybrook Fair, who had taken off his over-garment and was dragging it back of him begging someone to tread on the tail of his coat. No, we must do something more than that."

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"I desire to say here and now, that the policy of the late administration under Grover Cleveland in contention between Spain and Cuba has my approval; I believe it was a great policy; I believe it was a safe policy; I believe it was a patrictic policy!"

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When seeking to discredit the reports that there was war in Cuba he illustrated his position by the following take-off on the newspapers "By what might have been a most horrible accident!"

"As our reporter stood upon the street corner to-day he saw what might have been one of the most horrible accidents ever recorded. A cabman came very nearly running over a nurse and two children and killing them outright. Had it not been for the good judgment of the nurse, who, before she came out left the children at home in bed, and herself had turned into a drug store to get some medicine, and by the cabman, who before he reached the corner turned down a by-street, there might have been a great accident in that locality."

Mr. Wellington, inferred from "what might have been" that there had been no war in Cuba, was not now, and never would be, that the reports of all such conflicts were but the idle dreams of some imaginative mind connected with the press.

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Mr. Willington was much grieved for fear that Spain was not being treated with that proper respect which was due her from this country, he said: "Do we owe the Kingdom of Spain anything? I for one make the acknowledgement that we do. When the Genoese navigator stood a beggar in all the courts of Europe soliciting a loan of money and ships that he might go on on a greet voyage of discovery, which was to give to the old, a new world, he received no encouragement anywhere until he came to the Monarchy of Spain, having made petition there Ferdinand and Isabella out of their own funds advanced him money to make that discoverer's voyage and he gave Spain in return this splendid empire."

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Mr. Wellington did not state how Spain had rewarded Columbus for his intrepidity and superior intelligence by loading him with chains; endeavoring to smirch his name and destroy his reputation as an honorable man, imprisoning him for debt, and showing then the same spirit which exists to-day, that of rapacity, cruelty, and treachery.

The people of Maryland should feel proud of the position their junior Senator has taken on this great, patriotic subject, and of his love for liberty which we hoped was the underlying principle of American institutions. Hurrah for Wellington! Hurrah for Cleveland! and last, Hurrah for Spain! Down with the liberty-loving, striving patriots of Cuba! Destroy the youth! Debauch innocent virtue! Forsooth, the great Wellington is on the side of Spain.

TWENTY young ladies of Demotte, Indiana, have formed themselves into the Woman's Marriageable League. They have each sworn not to marry any young man who does not subscribe for the local paper. Those young ladies know their business and if the young men of that part of the country have any sense the present league and all available material for members will be exhausted. We will pay the rent for a meeting place of just such an organization in Phœnix."—*Gazette.* Will do the same thing here in Safford.

BUILD A BETTER JAIL.

No argument that has yet been advanced is half so strong in favor of the removal of the county seat as the escape of Chacon. It is admitted by all that the jail is insecure, and that in order to hold desperate criminals a guard must be kept on patrol constantly. And this escape has also demonstrated that this guard is not sufficient to prevent escapes, which causes the name of our fair county to be handled in very uncomplimentary terms by out siders. The county pays good salaries to two guards, which amount computed for a year, will build a far better jail than the present one, and yet a man condemned to the gallows, with only a week's life left before him is premited to walk through the jail walls and make good his escape. When such things as this are permitted what is the use of a guard? At night is the only time there is danger of an escape of this kind, and so long as the present excuse for a jail is used the Board of Supervisors should certainly insist that guard duty be performed faithfully.

With the present insecure jail it was clearly the duty of the guards to have made a thorough search of the cell in which this condemned man was held at least once each day, and to inspect every article taken to him.

Outside newspapers are "roasting" the officers who are responsible for this escape, which is no credit to the county and there is no answer to be made to these "roasts."

It is clear that a better jail will have to be built, also that better dicipline must be maintained while the present one is used.

The best solution of the problem is to move the county seat where a descent jail can be constructed, which will render the employment of guards unnecessary.

AGAINST THE CONFERENCE.

We note with satisfaction that the concensus of opinion of the reform press in Alabama is against the proposed conference at Nashville, July 4. As we have previously remarked, we do not believe that a truly representative body of Populists can be gathered together at this time, and are much inclined to believe that the meeting at Nashville will be very much a one-sided affair. It is remarkable, to say the least, that the chosen leaders of the Populist party are to be debarred from participation in the meeting. Surely if they are capable of leading the reform forces they are not only entitled to, but it is absolutely necessary that they should be counselors and advisors of a national meeting. It looks to us as if some men were anxious to become leaders of the party who can see no hope of ever attaining their desires if the people are unmolested in their choice. We do not wish to be misunderstood in this matter. If a certain number of persons desire to meet at Nashville and enjoy the exposition, well and good, but we think it is not advisable for a limited assemblage to promulgate a new policy for the People's party and, consequently, are adverse to the meeting.—Clanton, Ala., *Banner.*

IF Uncle Sam would only say "git" to Spain, it would be wonderful to observe how quick her soldiers would be withdrawn from Cuba. Of course there would be some bluster about licking the United States, but that would be all. Spain is sick of the war; she wants to quit, but is like the fellow when he captured the wild cat, needs help to let it loose, and a gentle hint from the United States would be all the help necessary.

THE President has removed United States Marshal Meade and appointed W: M. Griffiths. It is said that this removal would not have taken place until September, but that meade was using his official position in opposing the confirmation of McCard. If this is correct, it serves him right. Let Democrats keep their fingers off Republican appointments. It is not their "pie" and they had better lay low.

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M'KINLEY'S ENVIRONMENTS.

Few monarchs or Presidents have sufficients individuality to see the condition of the country over which they exercise executive authority through their own eyes. As a rule they see things through the eyes of their friends and immediate associates. There are a few exceptions to this rule. Jefferson, Jackson, and Lincoln are the most notable exceptions in the history of this country. Cleveland saw through the eyes of his cronies and boon companions. He did not even see the condition of the people of the United States faintly. Harrison ensconced himself in the bosom of political wire-pullers, and saw no virtues outside of the business community of Wall and Lombard streets. The gold bugs, stock gamblers and tariff manipulators of Philadelphia have drawn around the present executive a cloub of stock jobbing mist so dense that he is becoming oblivious to the fact that these worthies are are not the American people. They are the only people that he can see, and they take good care that he shall have no opportunity to see any honest wealth-producer of any party. In fact, it is said that they have so obscured his vision that he has great difficulty in seeing any part of himself in the largest mirror at the White House.

The absurdity of talking about the President developing a policy in regard to Cuba, finance, or any other subject, can be appreciated by those who observe current events and understand who manufacture, develop, and enforce executive policies in these degenerate times. The only guarantee that the country has of any possible good in any policy of the President is that Hanna's plans may not be altogether bad. There may be some latent and undiscovered virtue in Hanna himself which will ultimately be brought out in the policy pursued by the Executive. This appears to be the only hope that is left to the American people from the good times which the Republican party promised upon the election of Mr. McKinley.—*Silver Knight.*

INDIANS HATE ENGLISH.

They Refuse to Speak It After Leaving School.

The Rigid Rules Against the Use of Their Own Tongue Cause Them to Despise the White Man's Language.

For years government instructors among the Indians have been troubled by the fact that the red men, after learning English at the schools as children, invariably return to their own tongues and seem positively to hate the white man's language.

The superintendent of Indian schools, W. N. Hallman, in a report just made to the commissioner of Indian affairs, says that the Indians were actually taught to hate the English tongue, because of the rigid rules against the use of any Indian conversation by pupils. Until lately the great majority of Indian teachers have labored under the delusion that they can hasten the acquisition of the English language on the part of the pupils by compulsory measures, visiting more or less severe penalties upon the unfortunate children who were caught in the use of the Indian speech.

The unreasonableness of such proceedings, which are always punished with more or less serious failure, appears when it is considered that an idiom that is forced upon a child by means of penalties and other appeals to fear is necessarily hateful to him. Then, in his own heart, he turns away from it and uses it only under more or less pronounced protests. This becomes quite manifest as soon as the children are removed from the restraint of the school, when, for instance, they return to their parents for a visit or more or less permanently after graduation, and when, on meeting their former teachers, they will either refuse to speak English altogether or answer with shame-faced reluctance.

Prof. Hallman says: "There is no doubt in my mind that the unreasonableness of the offensive warfare made in the Indian schools against Indian vernacular is largely to blame for the apparent stubbornness with which older Indians refuse to learn English or to use the little knowledge thereof which they may possess. If it is argued that with liberty to use the Indian vernacular the Indian children will engage in conversation, possibly improper, which the teacher can neither understand nor control, the fault lies not with the child's knowledge and use of his own idiom, but with the teacher's ignorance of the same, and the remedy will be found not in the repressive measures, which must, because of their unreasonableness, fail of their purpose, but in the determined effort on the teachers' part to acquire a knowledge of the child's idiom.

"Probably the traditional hostile attitude of certain schools to the Indian vernacular is responsible for the fact that in a number of instances teachers and other school employes continue at the same school, working with the same tribe of Indians, without acquiring any appreciable knowledge of the language spoken at the homes of their children. This ignorance frequently extends to the customs, habits of life, and the historical developments of the tribe in question. They seem to treat the Indians as outcasts, and the outcome of their work corresponds with this attitude."—Chicago Tribune.

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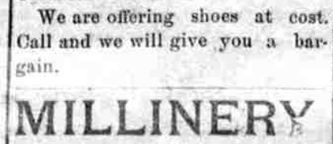

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This is the natural home of alfalfa, of which from 4 to 5 crops are grown yearly, yielding from 5 to 8 tons per acre. It is not as stocky as that which comes from the Salt River valley and is preferable for either horses or cattle.

Wheat, barley and oats grow prolificly, the former containing a very large amount of nutrition. Yellow dent, white gourd and other large varieties of corn yield productively, vegetables are large and solid and come to maturity two months earlier than in the eastern and middle states.

The valley and hill lands are adapted to all of the products of the temperal zone, and many of the fruits of the semi-tropical countries. The apples equal in size and flavor the prize winners of the eastern states. The seedling fruits are unexcelled in size and general excellence. Apricots and apples both grow with a surprising rapidity. The peaches in appearance and taste are identical with those which come from the famous orchards of New Jersey.

Canagrie grows wild, some of the tubers being as large as good sized potatoes. Tests now show that canagrie root, which flourishes near Thomas, in the lower portion of the valley, contains a larger per cent of tannic acid than any ever sent to the extract works from either Arizona or New Mexico.

Farming lands can be purchased at from $50 to $100 per acre, including improvements and water rights.

Uncultivated land without water right is free to any settler under the United States homestead law. This class of farms will eventually become valuable when the canal facilities have been increased.

The cost of maintaining the canals which are owned by the farmers varies from 30 cts. to $1.00 per acre per year.

The following are the market values of the products of the soil at the ranch, there being ready sale for everything raised in the valley.

Wheat	$1.35 per cental.
Barley	1.25 " "
Corn	1.00 " "
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Apples	5 " " "
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There is at present about 118 miles of irrigating canals and main ditches, not including the latteral ditches which will make the total several times this amount. This gives ample water to assure crops for about 45,000 acres. When the Enterprise canal is finished it will water several thousand acres of rich table and bottom land. It has been estimated that a quarter of million acres of additional land could be irrigated if storage dams were built. This could be done in several places, notably at the narrows about 18 miles from Safford where a box canyon exists through which the river passes. It is from this point the Enterprise company are building their canal.

Graham county covers an area of 7,000 square miles.

The Gila valley is 35 miles from the narrows to the edge of the reservation, with an average width of bottom lands of two miles, the distance between the foot hills being six miles. The valley is flanked on the north by the Gila mountains and on the south by the Graham mountains, Mount Graham being the highest peak, with an altitude of ten thousand feet above sea level.

Although but little prospecting has been done in either the Gila or Graham mountains, the few properties which have been developed show that the ore body is practically inexhaustable; while copper predominates, there is both gold and silver in paying quantities It is a virgin field for both the minor and captalist and one which promises grand results.

The two principal mining companies are the Detroit, at Morenci, and the Arizona Copper Company, at Clifton. The former employes 300 men and the latter 600.

The output of the Arizona company is 20 tons of copper per day and of the Detroit about 10 tons per day. These two companies alone pay out for labor about $600,000 annually.

Experts are at present prospecting near Safford for coal.

There are twenty-five schools, and one Academy in Graham county. The examination for teachers is very strict; only those who are thoroughly qualified being able to procure certificates. 12 churches of different denominations look after the spiritual welfare of the community. Society is as refined here as in any of the old eastern cities.

BRAND RECORDING.

Of Interest and Importance to Every Cattleman in Arizona.

It is of the greatest importance to cattlemen of Arizona that they should know of the provisions of the late law with reference to brand recording, and after knowing the provisions, proceed without unnecessary delay to comply with the law.

The new law makes it compulsory that all brands be recorded in the office of the Live Stock Sanitary Board instead of with the county recorders of the several counties, which county record books have been done away with in so far as they constitute a public record.

Those who had their brands on county record will request the county recorder, either in person or by letter, to make out a certificate of such brands on blanks furnished the recorders. For this they pay a fee of 25 cents to the recorder. The certificate is signed by the owner of the brand or his agent, as the case may be, after which it is sent to the office of the secretary of the Sanitary Board at Phœnix. It should be understood in this connection that no brand or mark shall be changed after the certificate has been signed by the recorder, and his seal affixed. Such changes can be made, but on another blank which will be furnished by the secretary on request.

All brands which have never been recorded heretofore will have to go to public record under the present law, and, for which purpose blanks will be furnished by the Secretary. This referes to horses as well as cattle; if you have ten different brands on your ranch, you should have them recorded if you desire to be secured in the use of the brand. It is an erroneous idea that only the brand kept up need be placed on record.

If you have other brands, and which from your failing to record, do not appear on such record as taken by anyone, the same will be allowed to the first applicant who may apply for such brand, in which case it might work to the serious disadvantage of the first or original owner of cattle in such brand.

It is intended to be and certainly will be an advantage to every cattleman in Arizona, and to that end all are urged to take advantage of the provision at the earliest possible moment.

Remember, brands do not have to be burnt on leather as of old. A simple filling out of a blank will be all that is required, which blank the county recorder will furnish if your brand has been recorded. If it has not been on record request a blank from the Secretary at Phœnix.

In all cases of brands which have been on county record, a fee of 25 cents is paid to the recorder of the county. In all other cases the fee is $1 for each and every brand, payable by ceck or money order to the Sanitary Board, and must accompany the application. This covers the cost of recording and a certificate under the seal of the board.

The reader will confer a favor both on his fellowman and the Sanitary Board by making this as widely known as possible. The better plan perhaps would be to clip this out and carry it in your pocket, where it can easily be referred to.

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I have just received a car load of the D. M. Osborne & Co. machinery, consisting of mowers, reapers, binders and hay rakes, and all kinds of extras. No extras will be sold on time, but cash must be paid when they are purchased.
J. T. OWENS. 4-23-tf.

A BURIED CITY.

Dr. Hedin's Discoveries in Persia, Russian Turkestan and the Pamirs.

The *Post* prints a long account of the adventures and discoveries of Dr. Hedin, a Norwegian, who for three years has been exploring the least known parts of Persia, Russian Turkestan and the Pamirs. The tale of his journeys in cold and snow over deserts and through forests, in frequent want of food and water, in the face of beseting difficulties of many kinds; recalls, in its heroic endurance and cheerful, unflinching courage, even naratives of exploration in the Arctic, and gives fresh proof, if any is necessary after Nansen's expedition, of the exceptional fitness of young Norwegians for such work.

Hedin's most noteworthy discovery, so far as the letters that are preceding his return to Europe reveal his achievements, is that of a city buried in the sands of a desert, the ruins of which contain manuscripts in an unknown tongue.

The city lies eight days' journey from the nearest water, and waves of sand, some nearly 40 feet high, partially cover it. Hedin and his companions excavated and carried away fresco paintings, dieces of wood from the houses, curiously changed to a brittle, glass-like substance, pictures of Buddha and of kneeling women, hands clasped in prayer, and most important of all, manuscripts in an unknown language and writing that is unlike any with which Dr. Hedin has any acquaintance.

From the pictures of Buddha it is inferred that this city was buried before Mohammedanism became the dominant religion of Central Asia, and that these manuscripts are some thousands of years old. They look a little like Chinese rapid writing, but Chinese scholars say that it is not Chinese, and Mongolian or Thibetans that it is not Mongol or Thibetan. One, a long slip of paper, seemed written from left to right. It has a small circle drawn near the end of the paper, and a hole in the middle, looking as as if they had strung it with other papers. This seemed to be like parchment paper, and it glittered with mica or fine sand. Dr. Hedin says the characters seem more like Sanscrit to him than anything else, and he is going to get Max Muller to examine them.

Beautiful Teeth.

As the mouth is said by physiognomists to be the surest indication of a woman's character, so it is also the keynote, as it were, of her personal habits. Hard, cracked lips, stained with black and indifferently kept teeth, tell their own tale of carelessness and neglect.

The first defect comes from an ugly habit of biting the lips, or it may be fever. The former may be remedied by exercise of will power, and the evidences of the latter removed by a nightly application of pure, cold cream or vaseline. The teeth are more difficult to deal with. The most important item in their care is a yearly visit to a reliable dentist whose services are absolutely necessary to health, as uncared for teeth, by their action upon the food, affect the stomach, and so the whole system.

But, besides the yearly or semi-yearly visit to the dentist, there must be unremitting individual care. A soft tooth-brush should be used night and morning, and, when circumstances permit, after each meal. A good tooth wash or powder is necessary to produce cleanliness; charcoal or porcipitated chalk are harmless and inexpensive, and may be freely used.

At least once in two weeks the teeth should be thoroughly cleansed by a rubbing process. To do this dip a hickory stick which must be softened at the end, into chalk or ground pumice stone and rub carefully over the entire surface of the teeth, particularly the inside and upper portion of the large molars, where there is usually a deposit of the various secretions of the mouth.

Dental floss should be used to remove all particles of food; the use of toothpick is not only an offense against good taste, but it is also injurious as it loosens the fillings of the teeth and bruises the gums as well.

Charcoal is invaluable as a dentrifice. It whitens the teeth and removes any unpleasant taste of a disordered stomach. A few drops of tincture of myrrh in a glass of water is an excellent mouth wash, while listerine as an all around purifier and antiseptic for the mouth is unexcelled.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chihowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Sold by all dealers in medicine.*

The Guardian.

FRIDAY JUNE 18, 1897

LATE EDITORIAL.

For President 1900,

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

CAMP Columbine is fast coming to the front as a pleasure resort.

When people get to thinking a community can no longer exist without their presence, it is time to kick them out.

THE town of Safford proposes to have a public park, one of the features of which will be a pavilion to accommodate 350 dancers.—Tombstone *Prospector*.

DEMOCRATS will learn after awhile to attend to their own business, and let Republican fights alone. They have no right fiddling in the Republican band wagon.

THE latest is the *Star* using the GUARDIAN'S article of several weeks ago concerning the Santa Fe road coming through the valley, rehashed as a telegram from Los Angeles.

IT is said the grass hoppers are about to take Phœnix. Well, about half Phœnix can be taken by grass hoppers, and still there will be enough to fill all the offices for the next hundred years.

THE Lordsburg *Liberal* seems to be just a little jealous of the fact that there seems to be a chance for the Santa Fe to come through this valley. We don't blame it, for if it should be done the Arizona Copper company's road would no longer run into Lordsburg.

LAST winter the farmers undertook to organize to protect themselves in the prices of their products but lately nothing has been heard of it. Are they going to let it die out entirely? There is no reason why farm products should be cheaper here than any where else.

WE hope no radical change will be made in our school text books. It has been the practise to change text books about every two or three years, almost before the books in use got a fair test. It costs an enormous amount to change these books, with no one receiving any particular benefit except the companies publishing them.

IN winding up an article on the governor refusing to commute the sentence of Chacon the *Gazette* says:

"If Chacon is hanged, it will be the first hanging that ever took place in Graham county."

This shows how densely ignorant some of the territorial dalies are of Arizona's history. Not more than six years ago two men were hung according to law during Geo. Olney's incumbency as sheriff, besides several others that took place previous. This is the first murderer in Graham county who has escaped the gallows after being sentenced, and we do not think that it will be repeated.

GOV. FRANKLIN, on Wednesday of last week, the day before Chacon made his escape, emphatically refused to commute his sentence, and had he not got away would have paid the penalty of his crime on the gallows to-day. A strong effort was being made on behalf of Chacon by his attorneys, but while the case was before the Governor he received a letter from District Attorney Jones, showing the cold bloodedness of the crime and the demand being made by the people that the sentence of the court be carried out. Also asking to be heard by the Governor if commutation or pardon was urged.

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EDITORIAL BONBONS.

Weyler says that he is "about to pacify Cuba." He is like the individuals spoken of by Pope who "never are, but always to be blest."—New York *Sun*.

In spite of anonymous skull-and-crossbones communications it may be assumed that Mr. Reed is safe from any except oratorical bombardments.—Washington *Star*.

The only effect that is likely to result from making the Marquis of Salisbury a Duke will be his further removal from the Grand Old Man's class.—Cleveland *Leader*

Knowledge is power, and from the number of college graduates now being turned out there ought to be a power of knowledge available just at present.—St. Louis *Republic*.

The Cheyennes are reported on the war part. This news no longer rouses romantic vision, for the modern Indian war path leads not to glory, but to jail.—Atlanta *Journal*.

While Hanna has been busy running a President and a Senate somebody seems to have slipped into his political machine shop in Ohio and slashed a few belts.—San Francisco *Examiner*.

It is said that by using kites the signal service will be able to issue weather predictions sixteen hours earlier than usual. This makes little difference; what is really wanted is a forecast which shall be about sixteen miles nearer the truth.—Chicago *Times-Herald*.

WHICH WILL YOU HAVE?

The gold Republican says that what we need to secure prosperity is higher tariff, a gathering in of the greenbacks and ultimately their cancellation;—In brief, more taxes and less money.

The international argument Republican says that we must have "more tariff," and also "international bimetallism"—if we can get it.

The gold Democrat says that all we need is less money; in other words, that the greenbacks and treasury notes should be destroyed, and the financies of the country turned over to the banks.

The Genuine American Bimetallist says that what we need above all other things is more money, through the operation of the free coinage of both silver and gold.

Which will you take as a primary proposition, leaving other reforms to be considered in the light of future events and conditions?—*Bimetallist*.

A BILL has been introduced by Senator Pettigrew, providing for the submission to a popular vote at the Congressional election of 1898 of the following questions: "Shall Congress at once enact a law providing for the immediate free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1?" "Shall the Constitution of the United States be so amended as to provide for the election of United States Senators, and of the President and Vice-President by direct vote of the people?" It is made the duty of the Secretary of each State to forward the result of the vote to the President who is required to transmit the statements to Congress.

THE board of Supervisors of Yavapai county has refused to pay the back salaries of ex-officials, Judge Baker's decision notwithstanding.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, office, at residence, Safford, Arizona.
2-26-tf.

The Mexican paper at Clifton published an article a week or two ago concerning Expert Langerman, which seems to have raised that gentleman's ire. We are told that it accuses him of making way with a check belonging to Mrs. McCormick, of Morenci. Mr. Langerman comes back with a letter in the same paper threatening libel suit if retraction is not made. It is said that the editor is prepared for any suit that may be brought. If what this paper accuses Mr. Langerman of proves to be correct, it will very likely become an interesting case for the grand jury.

See Mr. Bingham. He made a trial of one of the Roller Bearing mowers of Ijams & Patterson.
5-14-tf.

A Gigantic Flume.

The Detroit copper company had engineers make a survey to see if it was possible to flume water from the head of Eagle creek into Morenci. The engineers reported it feasible, that the flume would be fifty or sixty miles long and would cost about half a million dollars. The engineers are now at work making their final survey. This is a great deal of money to spend for water, but water has always been an expensive luxury in Arizona. The company now gets its water by pumping it from the river. This is very expensive and the water is not very good, there being considerable alkali in it. This alkali attacks the pumping machinery and the pipe line, making frequent renewals necessary. With the flume the expense of the pumping station would be done away with, the company would get better water and a larger supply, a larger power could be produced, thus saving money now spent for coal, and besides this there is an abundance of timber at the headwaters of the Eagle which could be cut and sent down the flume and thus furnish the company with mining timber much cheaper than it is now supplied. The Detroit company has plenty of capital and is not afraid to spend it if it can see that it will be able to make a small saving on each pound of copper produced. The company has enough ore in sight to keep its works running at an increased out put for many long years, and a saving of a cent a pound on the cost of producing the copper means a great deal of money.—*Liberal*.

That Land Grant Again.

The Peralta grant of 50,000,000 acres in Arizona, in which Phœnix, the capital of that territory, is situated, and also a great portion of the Gila river valley, in which a large number of valuable farms and towns exist and have their being, is about to come up in the court again to be litigated, and this time, it is thought, successfully.

The heirs of said grant live at San Luis Potosi, Mexico, and the eminent Mexican attorney, E. D Garza, who does business in San Antonio, Texas, and Monterey, Mexico, is in El Paso on his way to New Mexico, to file the claim before the land court now sitting at Santa Fe for the heirs of said grant. He says that the grant was originally given to Marquez Falces de Peralta, Baron de Arizona, by the Spanish government, for services rendered the queen, in 1774, and that the title is as clear as the noon day sun.

Attorney Garza, who is on his way to New Mexico, to represent the Peralta heirs, is very enthusiastic over the matter, and having as he says, a clear chain of title signed by the queen herself, properly authenticated and designated on old maps of the maps of the grant, Mr. Garza thinks that he will be able to establish the Peralta grant beyond the possibility of a doubt, as he has ample authorities at his command to convince any court in this country of the genuineness of the grant and of the legitimacy of the heirs of the same.—Albuquerque *Citizen*.

The heirs (?) to this grant had better be a little careful how they monkey with this grant or they will find themselves in the same place that James-Adison-Peralta-Reavis is.

Bomb at White Hills.

Last Saturday morning about 1 o'clock some white savage placed a lot of dynamite under the house of Supt. McComb, of the White Wills M. Co., and touched her off. As this kind of explosive will blow down instead of up if there is little resistance below, the charge did little more than blow one corner of the building out, smashing a stove and other utensils, as the charge broke through into the cellar. The intention of the human tiger was good enough, as without the cellar to spend its mighty force in, the house would have been blown into kindling wood and Mr. McComb, wife and child would have been killed. A man by the name of Cotter was arrested on suspicion of having committed the deed, but was discharged after a spirited trial before Judge Lankford in which District Attorney Blakely prosecuted and Attorney Geo. Walker defended. We know nothing of the grounds upon which Mr. Cotter was suspected but we do have an opinion that a man who would do such a thing is a fit subject to commit any crime on the calendar.—*Our Mineral Wealth*.

The Best Remedy for Rheumatism.

From the Fairhaven (N. Y.) Register.

Mr. James Rowland of this village, states that for twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief. She says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all dealers in medicine. *

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Homestead Entry No. 2357.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.,
May 14th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville Arizona, on June 26th, 1897, viz:

Francis P. Lynch. Fort Thomas, Graham Co Arizona, for the SW ¼ NE ¼ NW ¼ SE ¼ NE ¼ SW ¼ and SE ¼ NW ¼ Sec 34 Tp 4 S R 25 E., G & S R M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Daniel B. Ming, Lewis Voelckel, Michal A. Leahy and Jacob H. O'Neill, all of Fort Thomas Arizona.

EUGENE J TRIPPEL
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1:07a	12:30p	....Kirkland....	1:15p	12:28p
2:21a	1:33p	....Date Creek....	12:19p	11:13a
3:05a	2:08p	....Congress Junction....	11:45a	10:29p
4:00a	2:47p	....Wickenburg....	11:02a	9:48p
6:10a	4:15p	....Peoria....	9:36a	8:12p
6:24a	4:25p	....Glendale....	9:25a	7:59p
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W. S. GOLDSWORTH, City Ticket Agent, Prescott, Ariz.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Homestead No. 1384

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.,
May 11, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on June 25, 1897, viz:

Moses A. Cluff, Pima, Graham County, Arizona, for the S W ¼, Sec 13, Tp 7 S R 24 E; G. & S. R. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Brigham Cluff, John W. Johnson, both of Central, Arizona; Wood Crockett, Thomas N. Lamb, both of Pima, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL,
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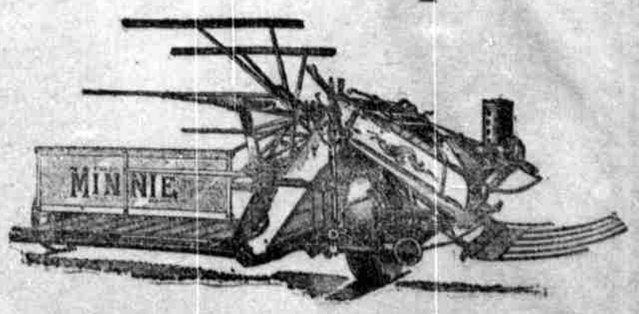
We have received within the last two week THIRTEEN CAR LOADS of goods, one of each: Beans, Packing House Products, Pride of Denver Flour, White Star Soap, Arbuckle Coffee, Table Salt, Potatoes, Sugar, Blacksmith Coal, Canned Goods, Barb Wire, Baling Wire, Nails & Staples, Shasta Mineral Water and Schlitz Beer,
Besides large local shipments of Chewing & Smoking Tobaccos of all kinds; Condensed Milk, Rolled Oats, Axle Grease, Candles, Cowboy Rope, Green Coffee, Keg Pickles, Castor Machine Oil, Wrapping Paper and Paper Bags, which we are selling at prices that defy competition. Merchants of the Gila Valley and Globe can order their goods from us and have them on the road inside of 24 hours, don't fail to get our prices before placing your orders.
SOLOMON & WICKERSHAM,
Bowie Station, Ariz.

WALTER A. WOOD,
Mowers and Reapers



TIGER HAY RAKE,
Hand and Self Dump.
Sold CHEAP for CASH by
I. E. SOLOMON